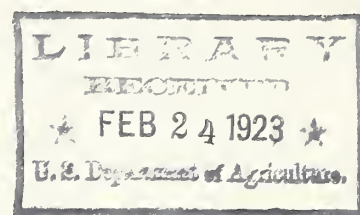


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**FOREWORD** We have tested over three hundred varieties of cannas. This is far too many. If a new one on testing proves similar in leaves, flower, habit of growth, etc., to an old one but poorer in any particular, it goes into the scrap heap. If the name is popular, it may be retained and the similar but better variety given for it. If it is better in any respect it is grown and carefully watched. If practically identical but better in even one particular, it is grown and the older and poorer one dropped and the better given in its place. If different, it is retained.

**HOW DISTINGUISHED** The most improved varieties which are the only ones we grow are distinguished by being printed in capitals. The similar but not so good ones are printed in small letters and the better ones are given when these are ordered.

**TWO LISTS** The first by color of flower then by character of flower, height, etc., etc. The second is alphabetical with color of flower so description can be found.

**PRICES AND DISCOUNTS** With the decreasing costs of the last year, we have been able to lower our prices. But our lists have sometimes fallen into hands of consumers and they have wanted to buy at the named prices; so while lowering our list prices, we are prepared to give those strictly in the trade, a small discount on application.

**QUANTITIES** A half dozen sold at dozen price, 50 at 100 price and 500 at 1000 price. Where assorted lot of not less than 5,000 are wanted, you can make not less than 250 of a variety and get the 1000 price. Special prices made on car lots.

**SHIPPING** Unless ordered to contrary, we will ship all lots of less than 100 lbs. by express, all lots of less than 500 lbs. to go after March 1st, by express, all others by freight.

**TERMS** Thirty days or 2 per cent off for cash sent within ten days of invoice date.

**COMPLAINTS** Complaints must be made within five days of receipt of bulbs and will then be at once rectified.

## CANNA LIST BY COLOR OF FLOWER

**CLASSIFICATION** First by color of flower; Second by leaf whether green or bronze; Third by height; Fourth by character of flowers in which there are two main varieties tho these melt into each other.

A. Orchid which has one or two large flowers opening at one time which mature, drop off and others open.

B. Truss where the individual flowers are smaller but more open at one time making a truss of bloom of great effectiveness.

There is a third class of foliage cannas where the flower is inconspicuous but the foliage is large and fine.

FOR PRICES SEE ALPHABETICAL LIST.

## RED ORCHID FLOWER GREEN FOLIAGE. 5 TO 6 FEET HIGH

**UNCLE SAM** Louisiana, Pennsylvania, Altitude, New Chicago, Prince Wied, Flower a deep, vivid crimson, the darkest and bluest of this class and one of the largest usually 6 to 7 inches across with crinkly edge and silky sheen.

**MRS. KATE GREY** Atalanta, Joliet, Mrs. Karl Kelsey. Same as preceding but flowers are a bright orange scarlet often streaked with fiery orange.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY** Wm. Boffinger, same as preceding but larger flowers of more sturdy substance.

**COLOSSAL (Wintzer's)** The largest canna which grows often 8 inches across but the petals droop and are not as firm as smaller flowers.

**FIREBIRD (Oiseau de Feu)** The flower on this is neither a crimson nor a scarlet but a glowing, strong and very uniform pure red. It could be called a vermillion. The flower is large, shapely and firm. I consider this and the two next among the finest cannas grown. Four-five feet high.

**PRESIDENT, RHEINSTEIN** Same as preceding but has more orange in shade and more gold on edges and in throat. Four-five feet high.

**FIERY CROSS** Same as preceding but larger clusters of flowers.

## RED TRUSS FLOWER GREEN LEAF. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH.

**DR. ROBT. FUNKE**, Beacon, Beaute Poitevine, Crimson Bedder, Duke of Marlboro, Fanal, Grand Chancellor Bulow, Meteor, Pres. McKinley.

These have smaller flowers but more blossom at one time into a truss of great beauty. These have a rich crimson color and the truss is borne well above the foliage.

**JEAN TISSOT** Pillar of Fire, J. D. Eisele, Express, Chas. Henderson. Same as preceding but flower color is a more orange red.

**HENRY GEORGE** Same as Dr. Robt. Funke but they only grow 2 to 3 feet high.

**MEPHISTO** Black Prince, Milwaukee. Same as Dr. Robt. Funke but a much deeper red, very rich, a true dragon's blood red.

**JULIUS KOCH** Dragon. Same as Dr. Robt. Funke but darker shade and larger petaled flowers.

## RED FLOWER

### GREEN LEAVES

**KING HUMBERT** Probably the most popular canna. Sturdy bronze foliage, immense orchid flowers of brilliant orange red often streaked with gold with broad rounded petals.

**WM. SAUNDERS** Conowingo. These are true truss cannas with flowers of a clear, pure scarlet.

**EGANDALE** Same but more erect truss and color is a fine currant red, different from any other canna.

**BRANDYWINE** Same but color is an intense vinous red mottled and edged with gold.

**RUBIN** Same but flower a rich, deep ruby red.

**REMARKABLE** New York, grows 5 feet high and foliage a plum bronze with pointed leaves. A true truss flower of a clear cherry red and very large.

**NOKOMIS** Vivid, dark crimson flowers with finely shaped rounded petals, very large. The finest of its class.

## ORANGE FLOWERS

**INDIANA** 5-6 feet, green leaves. Orchid flowers of a strong, vivid orange and large.

**ORANGE BEDDER** San Benito. 4-5 feet. Green foliage. Large truss flower of a true terra cotta orange with gold touches at edges and throat. Very dazzling.

**WYOMING**, David Harum, Bronze leaf. 4 feet high. A true orchid flower of large size and fine shape and a true orange without red; rich, velvety and strong.

## YELLOW FLOWERS

### GREEN LEAVES

**BURBANK**, Austria, Buttercup, Mercedes, 3 to 4 feet high. In these, the flower opens like a lily with stiff petals from 4 to 5 inches across of a fine, bright lemon yellow. A profuse bloomer and sturdy grower.

**GUSTAV GUMPPER** 2 to 3 feet high. A truss flower with many on truss, not large but fine clusters. A soft, orange yellow. Very effective.

**WM. BATES** 3 to 4 feet high. A large, well-shaped, pure yellow flower almost a straw color. Very effective.

**GOLDBIRD** Jane Addams, Queen of Yellows, Chas. Lutz, 3 to 4 feet high. Truss flowers and wonderfully fine as the petals are broad and rounded and the flower is often 6 inches across. Color, a clear, lemon yellow.

## PINK FLOWERS

### GREEN LEAVES

**WEST GROVE** Louise, Loveliness, Mlle. Berat, 4 to 5 feet high. Moderately large flower with narrow petals, color a very deep cerise pink.

**ROSEA GIGANTEA** Francis Bertie. Same but a larger flower with more rounded petals and fuller truss. Color a rosy pink.

**OLYMPIC** Same but flower very large, 7 inches across with rounded petals and fluted at edges. Color a deep, blue pink with dashes of carmine. One of the most beautiful cannas.

## PINK FLOWERS

### BRONZE LEAVES

**SHENANDOAH** 2 to 3 feet high. Rather small salmon pink flower borne many in a truss and much finer in moist weather.

**WABASH** Same but grows 4 to 5 feet high. Flower larger.

**DR. E. ACKERNECHT** 3 to 4 feet high. Flowers in a loose truss with broad petals and large size. Color, a rich cerise pink with fleckings of deeper carmine. Very lovely.

## ROSE FLOWERS

### BRONZE LEAVES. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**MRS. A. F. CONARD** 3 to 4 feet high. One of the most popular and exquisite cannas. The flower has the ideal canna shape with broad rounded petals opening wide and on a heavily filled truss so as to hide the past blooms. Color an exquisite, soft, opaque pale pink with darker pink, almost a brown in throat. Continuous flowerer.

**CITY OF PORTLAND** Same as preceding but color a deeper rose pink than its parent, Mrs. Conard. Flowers produced in great profusion.

**HUNGARIA** 2 to 3 feet high. Very compact plant, almost dwarf and of luxuriant growth. Flowers large and with rounded petals, color a blue pink the shade of a La France rose with cream in throat.

**LA FERIA** Same but color is a fine, clear blue pink at edges shading to a salmon pink in center with orange dashes on recurved center petal and of firm substance.

**ALAMO** Same but still larger flower and of better substance.

**WESLACO** Same but flowers are of so strong and clear a deep cerise pink as to be almost a red. Unusual and striking.

## SALMON FLOWERS

### GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**L. PATRY** A very lovely salmon pink shade with long, narrow petals.

**ARC-EN-CIEL** Same but broader petals of better substance and finer flower. Color a trifle more of a pure rose.

## APRICOT FLOWERS

### BRONZE LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**FAISEN DORE** Ehrenfels, John Farquhar. Full truss of medium sized flowers of a very unusual apricot, salmon pink color, very effective by themselves.

## WHITE FLOWERS

### GREEN LEAVES. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**MOONLIGHT** Flowers small but bears many trusses and an almost clear white. Strong grower.

**EUREKA** Maros, Mont Blanc, Blanche Wintzer, Snow Queen. Full trusses of larger flowers with full rounded petals. Color nearly a pure white in moist cloudy weather. The nearest white of any and a good grower.



## WHITE DOTTED ROSE GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**NIEMEN** Truss flowers of good size with full petals, color an almost white or ecru with dots of pink in throat.

**FLAG OF TRUCE** One of the most beautiful of cannas with immense, over-lapping petals and large flowers. Color a true white with pink spots in throat but at a distance, it appears a pure white.

## CREAM AND ROSE GREEN LEAVES. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**ALBA ROSEA** It is hard to classify this one as the flower is a creamy white shading to a peach blossom pink. It is a small flower with curved petals unlike any other canna flower but bears profusely.

**JOHANNA KANSLEITER** Kate F. Deemer. A strong cream or very pale yellow with shadings of rose often becoming an amber as flower matures. Fair sized flower in good sized trusses.

## ROSE AND GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**ROSSINI** An exquisite pale salmon pink shading to golden yellow in throat and with gold edges.

## ROSE AND CREAM GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**MAID OF ORLEANS** A lovely rose pink with creamy edges and throat.

**LA DONNA** Wawa. A lighter shade of soft, flesh pink underlaid with cream and creamy edges. Beautifully shaped flower.

## ROSE AND GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**VENUS** One of the best of this class with beautifully shaped flowers of firm substance and clear rose pink with golden edges and throat. Borne high and sturdy grower.

**GLADIFLORA**, Uhlberg. Same but not so tall growing plant and the rose is a deeper shade and the gold stronger in color.

**HARLINGEN** A taller plant with large flowers and the pink is a stronger but whiter shade and the gold is laid on in streaks and edgings and not as a suffusion as in others. Very effective.

## GOLD AND APRICOT GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**GOLDEN GATE** When first opened this flower is the true sun color, a glorious golden yellow but it soon turns paler and pinker till it is a tender apricot and gold. Beautifully shaped large flowers.

## GOLD DOTTED ROSE GREEN LEAVES. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**KARL MERCK** Flower a pure yellow with tinge of orange and flecked with pink dashes becoming red in throat. Fine large flower and large truss. Strong grower.

**MME. ELIDA BERTIE** Princeton, Richard Wallace. This has a true lily shaped flower of a clear lemon yellow and so thickly spotted with old rose as to appear almost a pink. It is wonderfully effective for table decorations in artificial light. Large flowers and strong grower.

## YELLOW DOTTED RED GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**FLORENCE VAUGHAN** Queen Charlotte, Favorite.

This old canna is still good, it is so gay as a bedder. Small flower but many of them. A rich golden yellow heavily spotted with red making it seen everywhere.

**THE GEM** Much larger flower and color, a yellow spotted with carmine. It is radically different from preceding in shades and size and shape of flowers.

**WM. GREISINGER** 3 to 4 feet. A truss flower of a clear, bright yellow spotted with red and with a red throat. Dwarf plant.

**QUEEN HELENE** Yellow King Humbert. This is one of the very best cannas there is. A sturdy grower, very floriferous. Immense flowers, mainly of a rich, golden yellow, spotted heavily with vermillion. But this is a recent hybrid and in unstable equilibrium. Sometimes the leaves will be all bronze, at times streaked with bronze. Usually green. Sometimes the flowers will be all scarlet, then half of a petal will be scarlet. It is one of the most interesting cannas.

**GLADIATOR** Same as preceding but the red instead of coming in dots, is in throat and slashes up petals, very effective.

## SCARLET AND GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 4 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**ITALIA** Gen. Merkel. The flowers on these are a bright orange scarlet with broad golden border and mottlings and lay out flat in orchid style.

**DUCA DI OTRANTO** Mad. Seibert. The petals on these flowers are a rich Indian yellow or golden orange changing without spots or lines into a throat of solid glowing carmine. Not so large a flower as Gladiator but lily shaped and very lovely and striking.

**CLAUDE MONTEL** 4 to 5 feet high. Flowers a rich blood-red with narrow gold margin and throat, very vivid and striking.

## VERMILLION AND GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 5 FEET HIGH

**MME. CROZY** Souvenir de Antoine Crozy. Small flowers but of striking rich vermillion red edged with gold, lovely for massing. Only grows 2½ feet high.

**GAIETY** A taller canna producing great clusters of true canna shaped flowers with big rounded petals. Color, a strong orange red with golden throat and edging. Very bright and gay.

**HALLEY'S COMET** Same as Gaiety but darker in shadings and richer.

**PELEY** 1½ to 2 feet. Dwarf. Flower a vermillion red with edges of petals a glistening gold.

## CRIMSON EDGED GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**GLORIOSA** Niagara. Medium flower but large truss. Color a blood red with margining of deep gold, wonderfully effective.

## ORANGE AND YELLOW GREEN LEAVES. 3 FEET HIGH

**MARVEL** This truly marvelous canna is on outside an orange yellow streaked with deep copper and inside a deep yellow turning into orange in throat. The effect is indescribably rich when massed.

## ORANGE AND GOLD GREEN LEAVES. 5 TO 6 FEET HIGH

**ALLEMANIA** The flowers in this good old canna spread out flat of a brilliant orange spotted and mottled with a deep orange red. Large flowers.



**FLAMBEAU** F. Benary, Long Branch. Taller and perhaps flowers are a trifle larger. The orange is more vermillion and fiery and the yellow is an edging instead of a mottling. Very striking.

## ORANGE AND SCARLET GREEN LEAVES. 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH

**PANAMA** Flowers large  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches across with rounded petals often 2 inches wide. Color a strong terracotta scarlet with throat, bordering and spots of golden yellow, very striking.

## FOLIAGE CANNAS

**FLASHLIGHT** Large, strong leaves of a soft green very effective as a back-ground or screen with clusters of small bright red flowers.

**KING OF BRONZES** Immense red bronze leaves with rounded ends and luxuriant growth. Flowers small but pretty trusses of bright red.

**MAJESTIC** Bluish-green foliage lined with bronze and long-pointed leaves. Full trusses of small red flowers.

**MUSAFOLIA** The tallest canna growing 7 to 8 feet and rapid grower. Leaves a dark green edged with purplish bronze and often 4 feet long. Small flowers. Marvelously effective as a screen.

NAME	Pr. 1000	Pr. 100	Pr. Doz.	Stock	FLOWER	Description Height Leaf
ALAMO	\$	\$12.00	\$ 2.40	100	Rose, Large	3-4 Green
ALBA ROSEA		6.00	1.20	200	Cream and Rose	3-4 Green
ALLEMANIA	27.50	4.00	.80	12,000	Orange and Gold, Large	3-4 Green
Altitude	27.50	4.00	.80	40,000		Give Uncle Sam
AMERICAN BEAUTY	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Red Orchid, Very Large	5-6 Green
ARC-EN-CIEL		7.50	1.50	100	Salmon Toward Rose	3-4 Green
Atalanta	25.00	3.75	.75	25,000		Give Mrs. Kate Grey
Austria	25.00	3.75	.75	30,000		Give Burbank
Beacon	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000		Give Dr. Robt. Funke
Beaute Poitevine	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000		Give Dr. Robt. Funke
Black Prince	27.50	4.00	.80	15,000		Give Mephisto
Blanche Wintzer	40.00	6.00	1.20	13,000		Give Eureka
BRANDYWINE	60.00	9.00	1.80	4,000	Red Wine Shade	3-4 Bronze
BURBANK	25.00	3.75	.75	30,000	Yellow, Clear Lemon	4-5 Green
Buttercup	25.00	3.75	.75	30,000		Give Burbank
Chas. Henderson	27.50	4.00	.80	5,000		Give Jean Tissot
Chas. Lutz	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000		Give Goldbird
CITY OF PORTLAND	60.00	9.00	1.80	300	Rose Deep Large	3-4 Green
CLAUDE MONTEL	60.00	9.00	1.80	50	Scarlet and Gold	4-5 Green
COLOSSAL	30.00	4.50	.90	15,000	Red Largest Flower	5-6 Green
Conowingo	40.00	6.00	1.20	1,000		Give Wm. Saunders
Crimson Bedder	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000		Give Dr. Robt. Funke
David Harum	30.00	4.50	.90	20,000		Give Wyoming
Dragon		7.50	1.50	100		Give Julius Koch
DR. E. ACHERNECHT	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000	Pink, Rich Cerise	3-4 Bronze
DR. ROBT. FUNKE	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000	Red Truss, Rich Crimson	4-5 Green
DUCA DI OTRANTO	27.50	4.00	.80	32,000	Scarlet and Gold	4-5 Green
Duke of Marlboro	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000		Give Dr. Robt. Funke
EGANDALE	40.00	6.00	1.20	1,000	Red Currant Shade	3-4 Bronze
Ehrenfels	40.00	6.00	1.20	2,000		Give Faisen Dore
EUREKA	40.00	6.00	1.20	13,000	White, Large	3-4 Green
Express	27.50	4.00	.80	5,000		Give Jean Tissot
FAISEN DORE	40.00	6.00	1.20	2,000	Apricot	3-4 Bronze
Fanal	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000		Give Dr. Robt. Funke
Favorite	30.00	4.50	.90	18,000		Give Florence Vaughan
FIERY CROSS		12.00	2.40	100	Red, Large and Firm	4-5 Green
FIREBIRD		9.00	1.80	500	Red, Large and Firm	4-5 Green
FLAG OF TRUCE		9.00	1.80	100	White Dotted Rose, Large	4-5 Green
FLAMBEAU	30.00	4.50	.90	7,000	Orange and Gold	5-6 Green
FLASHLIGHT	27.50	4.00	.80	1,500	Foliage	6-7 Green
FLORENCE VAUGHAN	30.00	4.50	.90	17,000	Yellow Dotted Red	4-5 Green
Francis Bertie	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,500	Give Rosea Gigantea	4-5 Green
GAIETY	35.00	5.00	1.00	6,000	Vermillion and Gold	3-4 Green
Gen. Merkel	27.50	4.00	.80	4,000	Give Italia	3-4 Green
GLADIATOR	35.00	5.00	1.00	10,000	Yellow Dotted Red	5-6 Green
GLADIOFLORA	35.00	5.00	1.00	1,000	Rose and Gold	3-4 Green
GLORIOSA	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Crimson Edged Gold	3-4 Green
GOLDBIRD	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000	Yellow Clear Straw	3-4 Green
GOLDEN GATE	40.00	6.00	1.20	3,000	Yellow Golden	2-3 Green
Grand Chancellor Bulow	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000	Give Dr. Robt. Funke	3-4 Green
GUSTAV GUMPPER	40.00	6.00	1.20	500	Yellow Dwarf	2-3 Green
HALLEY'S COMET		9.00	1.80	100	Vermillion and Gold	3-4 Green
HARLINGEN	40.00	6.00	1.20	1,000	Rose and Gold	4-5 Green
HENRY GEORGE	30.00	4.50	.90	500	Red Crimson Dwarf	2-3 Green
HUNGARIA	30.00	4.50	.90	7,000	Pink Blue Shade	2-3 Green
INDIANA	27.50	4.00	.80	12,000	Orange Orchid	5-6 Green
ITALIA	27.50	4.00	.80	4,000	Scarlet and Gold	4-5 Green
Jane Addams	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000		Give Goldbird
J. D. Eisele	27.50	4.00	.80	5,000	Give Jean Tissot	4-5 Green
JEAN TISSOT	27.50	4.00	.80	5,000	Red Toward Orange	4-5 Green
JOHANNA KANSLEITER	30.00	4.50	.90	2,000	Cream and Rose	3-4 Green
John Farquhar	40.00	6.00	1.20	2,000	Give Faisen Dore	3-4 Bronze
Joliet	25.00	3.75	.75	25,000	Give Mrs. Kate Grey	5-6 Green





NAME	Pr. 1000	Pr. 100	Pr. Doz.	Stock	Description
JULIUS KOCH		7.50	1.50	100	Red, Very Large and Dark.....4-5 Green
KARL MERCK	30.00	4.50	.90	8,000	Gold Dotted Rose .....4-5 Green
Kate F. Deemer	30.00	4.50	.90	2,000	Give Johanna Kansleiter .....3-4 Green
KING HUMBERT	35.00	5.00	1.00	12,000	Red, Fiery Large .....4-5 Bronze
KING OF BRONZES	30.00	4.50	.90	5,000	Foliage .....5-4 Bronze
LA DONNA		7.50	1.50	200	Rose and Cream.....3-4 Green
LA FERIA		12.00	2.40	300	Pink, Salmon and Orange.....3-4 Green
Long Branch	30.00	4.50	.90	7,000	Give Flambeau .....5-6 Green
Louise	30.00	4.50	.90	500	Give West Grove .....4-5 Green
Louisiana	27.50	4.00	.80	40,000	Give Uncle Sam .....5-6 Green
Loveliness	30.00	4.50	.90	500	Give West Grove .....4-5 Green
L. PATRY	35.00	5.00	1.00	300	Salmon Pink .....3-4 Green
Madame Seibert	27.50	4.00	.80	32,000	Give Duca di Otranto.....4-5 Green
MAID OF ORLEANS		9.00	1.80	100	Rose and Cream.....3-4 Green
MAJESTIC		6.00	1.20	200	Foliage .....5-6 Bronze
Maros	40.00	6.00	1.20	13,000	Give Eureka .....4-5 Green
MARVEL	30.00	4.50	.90	8,000	Orange and Yellow.....3-4 Green
MEPHISTO	27.50	4.00	.80	15,000	Red Truss Oxblood.....4-5 Green
Mercedes	25.00	3.75	.75	30,000	Give Burbank .....4-5 Green
Meteor	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000	Give Dr. Robt. Funke.....4-5 Green
Milwaukee	27.50	4.00	.80	15,000	Give Mephisto .....4-5 Green
Mlle. Berat	30.00	4.50	.90	500	Give West Grove .....4-5 Green
MME. CROZY	30.00	4.50	.90	2,000	Vermillion and Gold .....3-4 Green
MME. ELIDA BERTIE	30.00	4.50	.90	13,000	Gold Dotted Rose .....4-5 Green
Mont Blanc	40.00	6.00	1.20	13,000	Give Eureka .....4-5 Green
MOONLIGHT	27.50	4.00	.80	10,000	White, Small .....4-5 Green
MRS. A. F. CONARD	40.00	6.00	1.20	3,000	Rose, Soft and Opaque.....3-4 Green
MRS. KARL KELSEY	25.00	3.75	.75	25,000	Give Mrs. Kate Grey .....5-6 Green
MRS. KATE GREY	25.00	3.75	.75	25,000	Red Orchid Scarlet Large.....5-6 Green
MUSAFOLIA	40.00	6.00	1.20	1,000	Foliage.....7-8 Green
New York	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000	Give Remarkable .....4-5 Bronze
Niagara	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Give Gloriosa .....3-4 Green
NIEMEN		6.00	1.20	400	White Dotted Rose .....3-4 Green
NOKOMIS		15.00	3.00	25	Red Dark Crimson .....3-4 Bronze
OLYMPIC		12.00	2.40	50	Pink Blue Shade Large.....4-5 Green
ORANGE BEDDER		6.00	1.20	200	Orange Terra Cotta .....4-5 Green
PANAMA		6.00	1.20	200	Orange and Scarlet .....3-4 Green
PELEY		6.00	1.20	100	Vermillion and Orange .....1½-2 Green
Pennsylvania	27.50	4.00	.80	40,000	Give Uncle Sam .....5-6 Green
Pillar of Fire	27.50	4.00	.80	5,000	Give Jean Tessot .....4-5 Green
PRESIDENT		12.00	2.40	100	Red, Large and Firm .....3-4 Green
President McKinley	27.50	4.00	.80	7,000	Give Dr. Robt. Funke .....4-5 Green
Princeton	30.00	4.50	.90	13,000	Give Mme. Elida Bertie .....4-5 Green
Prince Wied	27.50	4.00	.80	40,000	Give Uncle Sam .....5-6 Green
Queen Charlotte	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Give Florence Vaughan .....4-5 Green
QUEEN HELENE	30.00	4.50	.90	22,000	Yellow Dotted Red .....5-6 Green
Queen of Yellows	50.00	7.50	1.50	5,000	Give Goldbird .....3-4 Green
REMARKABLE	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000	Red, Clear Cherry.....4-5 Bronze
Rheinstein		12.00	2.40	100	Give Firebird .....4-5 Green
Richard Wallace	30.00	4.50	.90	13,000	Give Mme. Elida Bertie.....3-4 Green
ROSEA GIGANTEA	50.00	7.50	1.50	1,000	Pink, Large .....3-4 Green
ROSSINI		7.50	1.50	200	Rose and Gold .....3-4 Green
RUBIN		6.00	1.20	100	Red, Deep Ruby .....3-4 Bronze
SHENANDOAH	40.00	6.00	1.20	4,000	Pink .....2-3 Bronze
Snow Queen	40.00	6.00	1.20	13,000	Give Eureka .....3-4 Green
Souvenir de A. Crozy	30.00	4.50	.90	2,000	Give Mme. Crozy .....3-4 Green
THE GEM		9.00	1.80	100	Yellow Dotted Red .....3-4 Green
UHLBERG	35.00	5.00	1.00	1,000	Give Gladioflora .....3-4 Green
UNCLE SAM	27.50	4.00	.80	40,000	Red, Orchid, Deep, Large.....5-6 Green
VENUS	40.00	6.00	1.20		Rose and Gold.....3-4 Green
WABASH	40.00	6.00	1.20	4,000	Pink.....4-5 Bronze
Wawa		7.50	1.50	200	Give La Donna .....3-4 Green
WESLACO		12.00	2.40	50	Pink, Deep Cerise.....3-4 Green
WEST GROVE	30.00	4.50	.90	500	Pink Cerise .....3-4 Green
WM. BATES	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Yellow, Straw, Large.....3-4 Green
Wm. Boffinger	30.00	4.50	.90	10,000	Give American Beauty.....5-6 Green
WM. GRIESINGER	40.00	6.00	1.20	300	Yellow Dotted Red .....3-4 Green
WM. SAUNDERS	40.00	6.00	1.20	100	Red Scarlet .....3-4 Bronze
WYOMING	30.00	4.50	.90	30,000	Orange Orchid .....5-6 Bronze
Yellow King Humbert	30.00	4.50	.90	22,000	Give Queen Helene .....5-6 Green
MIXED	20.00	3.50	.60	100,000	

## CRINUMS OR SOUTHERN LILIES

Few know the great beauty of this class of lilies. They will grow in a hot house well and force. If started early, in a green-house most will bloom out of doors in latitude of New York and Chicago in August. If planted out after

frost, most will bloom as far north as Baltimore and Cincinnati. Of course they must be protected from frost in the ground and in latitude of Dallas, Nashville, this can usually be done by a winter mulch. North of this, the bulbs should be lifted every winter. Still further south they need little winter protection. Most will stand full sun and they like well-drained soil but lots of water.

**ANGEL LILY** (*C. Fimbriatum*) Flower of pure white with streak of delicate pink down center of petals, delightfully fragrant. Blooms in hottest weather.

**MILK AND WINE LILY** (*C. Sanderianum*) Slightly smaller flower with streak of strong carmine down center.

**SPIDER LILY** (*Hymenocallis Carribbaeum*) Allied to *Crinum*s. Flower a pure white, has a tube about 6 inches long, then spreads out to 2 inches in diameter with delicate frilled edges from which come six rays of pure white terminating in yellow pollen anthers. A unique and lovely flower.

Price on above three \$60.00 per 1000, \$7.50 per 100, \$1.00 per doz.

**CONFEDERATE LILY** (*C. Kunthianum*) larger plant than preceding, leaves often 4 inches broad and 4 feet long. Flower stalk rises 2½ to 3 feet high crowned with umbel of 15 to 25 buds opening into trumpet shaped, hanging down lilies of soft creamy white striped on outside with rich, deep rose fading inside into loveliest sea-shell pink.

**LILY OF ORINOCO** (*C. Kirkii*) This plant makes a rosette closer to ground of sword-shaped crinkle-edged leaves from which the flower stalk rises 2 feet with wide opening, white lilies with broad band of deep purple down each petal.

**ARGENTINE LILY** (*C. Ornatum*) Same as preceding but flowers are more trumpet-shaped and drooping and band is a cherry-red instead of purple.

Price on above three \$80.00 per 1000, \$10.00 per 100, \$1.50 per doz.

**WHITE CAPE LILY** (*C. Capense Alba*) This is almost an exact duplicate of the Easter Lily but blossoms here from May to July and further north in July and August. Can be forced. Very valuable for florists.

**LILY OF THE VIRGIN** (*C. Virginicum*) Large plant. Flowers pure white with the faintest strip of delicate pink down center of petals, large 5 to 6 inches across and opening wide. Very lovely. Fragrant.

**LILY OF THE DAWN** (*C. J. Harvey*) Same but flower a delicate rose pink all over. Fragrant.

Price on above three \$25.00 per 100, \$5.00 per doz.

**LILY OF ASIA** (*C. Asiaticum*) Immense plant requiring space of 5 feet in diameter and growing 4 feet high with stiff long leaves and flower stalk 3 to 4 feet high with 30 to 40 buds, opening into flowers similar to Spider Lily but with shorter, and stiffer rays and very striking. Pure white and fragrant.

**RIO GRANDE LILY OR GREAT MOGUL** (*C. Augustum*). Even larger than preceding and flower stalk has often fifty buds opening. Purple and white lilies very striking. Fragrant.

Price on above two \$15.00 per doz.

Some other varieties testing out.

## SUNDRIES

**BANANA SUCKERS** (*Musa Orinoco*). Given plenty of water, these make a beautiful foliage plant for summer even as far north as New York and Chicago. Their weight makes the transportation an important item.

Suckers 2 to 4 feet, weigh 10 to 20 lbs. \$15.00 per 100, \$2.50 per doz.

Suckers 4 to 6 feet, weigh 40 to 60 lbs. \$35.00 per 100, \$5.00 per doz.

**FISH POLE BAMBOO** (*Arundo Donax*) A very rapid growing grass growing 12 to 15 feet high in one season if given plenty of water and flowering into a feathery spike in fall. Makes good fishing poles.

Large roots \$10.00 per 100, \$1.50 per doz.

**NIGHT-BLOOMING CEREUS** (*Cereus Triangularis*). This cactus has wonderful flowers of ivory and gold often 6 inches across and blooming at night. It bears a small edible fruit.

Well-rooted plants \$6.00 per doz.

## FAIRY LILIES

**PINK FAIRY LILY** (*Zephyranthes Carinata* or *Rosea*) Delightful little edging plants with grass-like leaves growing about a foot high and sending up a lovely pink flower about 2 inches across.

**OX-BLOOD FAIRY LILY** (*Hippeastrum Habranthus*) These flower in fall with a deep, rich red flower very graceful and have the same grass-like leaves.

**WHITE RAIN LILY** (*Cooperia Pedunculata*) Native to this section. After every rain it bears a fragrant star-shaped radiantly white lily, 2 to 3 inches across. All three of the easiest culture.

PRICE \$1.00 per doz., \$5.00 per 100.

## OTHER BULBS

**TUBEROSES** (*Polianthes Tuberosa Mexicana*.) Few know the value and beauty of this variety. They come from the high Central Mexican tableland, have tall, stiff stems, flowers pure white, single, delightfully fragrant, never blight and open in hottest weather, withstand winds and everything save hard frosts. Can be forced. If stalk is cut when first flower opens and put in water, the flower increases in size and whiteness and can be kept a week or ten days.

Stock 25,000, \$18.00 per 1000, \$2.50 per 100.

**DAY LILIES** (*Heimerocallis*) An old-fashioned but always lovely flower growing well anywhere in north. From a tall clump of graceful, grass-like foliage, a stalk shoots up in June or July bearing from 5 to 15 charming lilies of orange or yellow which while they only last a day, keep coming out for over a month.

**PALMS** Our local business has grown so that now we are growing ten to fifteen thousand palms in 3 or 4 varieties each of the Phoenix or Date Palms, the Washingtonia or Fan Palms, the Chamaedrops or Windmill Palms, the Cocos or Coconut Palms, the Sabal or Palmetto Palms, etc., etc. On these, prices quoted on application. The distinctively florist or house palms such as the Kentia and Phoenix Roebellini are not grown here.

**SUB-TROPICAL PLANTS** Our local business is taking many tropical plants suitable north only for a green-house. We will be glad to send local catalogs and quote prices where such are wanted for green-house culture north.

**SIZE OF BULBS** In this favored soil and climate, we have ground storage and dig our bulbs just before shipping getting large, plump bulbs which start growing quickly and soon bring flowers much different from the winter-stored, weary bulbs grown north. Every bulb has at least two eyes and usually three or four and can often be cut into two.

**WEIGHT** These freshly dug bulbs will weigh from 200 to 300 lbs. per 1000 packed according to variety. Some varieties have larger and sturdier bulbs. Some smaller. It will fairly average 250 lbs. when packed in sacks in 1000 lots and perhaps 300 lbs. when packed in smaller lots to go by express.

**GUARANTEE** We agree to deliver bulbs true to name but should that rare case come where they are not, we will at once replace with those true to name or pay the amount paid for them but are not liable for more.

**TAWNEY DAY LILY** (*Fulva*.) Stalks from 1 to 2 feet high, flower 4 to 6 inches across, a golden-yellow in throat melting suddenly to a tawney orange-brown shading lighter at crinkled edges with a fine line of yellow down center. Stock 20,000, \$45.00 per 1000, \$5.50 per 100, \$1.00 per doz.

**YELLOW DAY LILY** (*H. Aurantica*) Same but flowers are a solid, golden yellow, wonderfully luminous, and larger than the Tawney Day Lily. Also blooms a little later. Stock 2,000, \$60.00 per 1000, \$7.50 per 100, \$1.25 per doz.

**KWANSO OR DOUBLE LILY.** Same but double and exceedingly lovely in its many voluted petals. Stock 4,000, \$60.00 per 1000, \$7.50 per 100, \$1.25 per doz.